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COURT CONVENES TUES. OCT. 11

BUT FEW CASES ON CALENDAR
JURY DRAWN.

The October term of Circuit court will convene next Tuesday, October 11, at 10:00 o'clock in the afternoon. It is expected, as usual, that Judge Guy E. Smith will officiate.

The criminal calendar contains two cases charged with violation of the prohibition law, and one for assault and battery. There will be one jury civil case and one non-jury civil case. The chancery calendar contains two divorce cases. This completes the list of cases as they now appear on the program for the term.

The cases in detail are as follows:

Criminal—Orel Turner, violation of prohibition law. Abe Jarell, violation of prohibition law. Isaac Jendron, assault and battery against an officer.

Civil cases—Jury, Peter Reuter vs. Bruno Weber, assumpst. Non-jury, Chatfield Grain & Milling company vs. William H. Moshier, trespass on the case.

Chancery—Lucile Hahn vs. Loyd N. Hahn, divorce. Bessie M. Richardson vs. Albie Richardson, divorce.

We have been requested not to publish the list of jurors before the court sets, therefore it will not appear until next week.

FARMERS ORDER YOUR PICRIC ACID FOR BLASTING.

The Northeastern Michigan Development Bureau.

The Government has for distribution to farmers for land clearing purposes about 12,500,000 pounds of picric acid.

Michigan's allotment is about 31 carloads of which no one farmer can secure more than 1000 pounds. Cost to the farmer is 7 cents per pound plus the freight which means that the net cost would be somewhere around 10 cents per pound which makes a very cheap explosive.

Distribution in the State is under the supervision of the Michigan Agricultural College. Taking of orders and the distribution in the counties is in charge of the county agricultural agents.

Perhaps there is sufficient farming land cleared in the United States so it is not necessary to clear up more just at present but on the other hand when explosive can be bought as cheaply as this it certainly does not pay a farmer to plow or fuss around stumps in cultivated fields.

The Northeastern Michigan Dev. Bur.

T. F. Marston, Sec'y-Mgr.

POOR TEETH ARE PUPILS' HANDICAP.

Parents Urged To Have Children Visit Dentist At Least Once A Year.

Lansing, Sept.—One million dental cavities, 1,000,000 possibilities of failing in readin', ritin', or 'rithme-tic'.

This is the handicapping possession of Michigan school children, according to a statement made by Dr. Kenneth R. Gibson, director of the state department of health's newly organized bureau of dentistry and oral hygiene.

Of the 750,000 pupils now in school in the state seventy-five per cent, or 561,500 pupils are believed by public health authorities to be in need of dental attention. The number of cavities each child may have will range from one to more than a dozen, it is said.

"On a conservative estimate there are at least a million cavities," states Dr. Gibson, "which should be treated immediately to save the teeth, prevent sickness, oral infection, loss of time from school and possible scholastic failure."

"Parents are coming to realize that the so-called 'baby-teeth' are immensely important, and that their premature loss is the cause of the improper closure of the upper teeth upon the lower; they should take particular care to see that the four permanent first molars which erupt between the sixth and the seventh years about the time the child enters school are well preserved, for these teeth are the keystones of the dental arch."

"Much of the impaired health in childhood, malnourishment and lack of resistance to sickness and disease is the result of impaired mastication and assimilation of food, and unhealthy oral conditions."

"Take your child to the dentist at least once a year" is Dr. Gibson's advice to parents.

ANNOUNCEMENT.

(Received too late for last week.)

Saginaw, Sept. 30th, 1921

John A. Holliday, Brig. Gen.

Please have this inserted in your Press, in behalf of the officers and delegates of the National League of Veterans and Sons convention held in your city Sept. 21 and 22. We express our appreciation for the courtesies extended to us. Please accept our thanks for your many courtesies to us while in your city. To the honorable Mayor, Mr. Geo. N. Olson, Mr. Rasmus Hanson and the good people of Grayling. The hospitality which we received at your hands from the city of Grayling was most impressive and we assure you is deeply appreciated. We wish to ex-

press our thanks to Brig. General John A. Holliday and his good wife for the great amount of good work done by them during our stay in Grayling as well as before to Wagner Camp No. 33 N. L. V. S. and No. 10 L. N. L.

Fred Gill, General.
E. B. Metcalf, Adj't. General.

T. N. T.

AN EXPLOSION OF PEDIGREE TRUTH.

"Gone but SOON forgotten." The X. Y. Z.

Who are the new editors?—T. N. T.—Professionals. Who are the X. Y. Z.—Amateurs.

Sporting Section.

Basket Ball practice began Friday. Coach Morrow is surprised with the material.

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BILLION DOLLAR FRAUD IS BARED

40 PROMINENT CITIZENS INDICTED AS CONSPIRATORS BY GRAND JURY AT OMAHA.

TWO BANK HEADS SURRENDER

S. H. Grace, Treasurer of Railway Employees, Charged With Embezzeling \$30,000 Deposit Slip.

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JOSEPH NEPHEW DROPPED DEAD.

Found By Neighbors near Office of Grayling Box Company.

Joseph Nepew aged 38 years, filer for the Grayling Box company dropped dead near the office of the company at T-town last night. Mr. Nepew was on his way home from the company mill, where he had gone after eating his supper, to finish up some work he had been doing. It was about 8:15 o'clock that Perry Ackers, who was on his way from town found him lying on the sidewalk. Dr. D. M. Howell, Justice Fred Alexander and Sheriff were immediately called to the scene and it was found that Mr. Nepew came to his death from heart failure, having been dead only a few moments when found.

Mr. Nepew had lived in Grayling most of his life and was well and favorably known. He was a hard worker and was deemed a most faithful employee of the Grayling Box company. Previous to becoming an employee of this company he had worked for Salling Hanson company. The family reside at T-town, a wife and two small children, besides his aged mother, Mrs. Nepew, who is 90 years old, and made her home with them, surviving.

The funeral of the deceased will be held Saturday morning from St. Mary's church.

RIGHT ON THE CORNER.

That is the position of the Brick church where you are supposed to go church. Of course there is a pew for anyone who wants to come next Sunday. Many have said that they were going to start in some time but that day has not come for a lot of Grayling's fine people. It is the surprise of the day that there are any who do not see the value of a church in a community. What about trying to make this winter the winter of church-going?

Next Sunday is promotion day in the Sunday school of the Michelson Memorial church. Come and see what the program is. All who belong to the Sunday School will be there and any others who would like to begin at this time of the year.

Do not forget that the morning service begins next Sunday at ten thirty and the evening at seven. We look for you next Sunday.

Washington.—President Harding late Monday called for "unity of action" throughout the nation in meeting the problem on unemployment and issued an appeal to governors, mayors and town officials to take immediate steps to carry out the program of the national unemployment conference.

Washington.—Advisability of a federal bond issue to aid a fund for making loans to aid municipal public works in years of depression when jobs are scarce was under consideration Monday by sub-committees of the national conference on unemployment.

Such a proposal has been suggested to the conference as part of a plan for permanent safeguards against bad years for the nation's workers.

BLAMES UNKNOWN ASSAILANTS

Barry Farmer, Badly Wounded, Says Robbers Slew His Wife.

Hastings, Mich.—That his wife was strangled by three unknown assailants, who threw her body in a clatter, then attacked him, slashed his throat from ear to ear and left him for dead pinned between the bed and the wall, setting fire to the house and barn before they left the place, was the story told authorities by John Baverstock, Middleville farmer, who is slowly recovering in Penncok hospital here from his wounds.

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Michigan News Tensely Told

Armed—The forty-ninth annual fair will be held here Oct. 11-14.

Grand Rapids—The city commission was offered the Grand Rapids Railway company's property for \$8,270,000.

Stephenson—Surveyors were here recently looking over property with a view to building an electric road from Iron Mountain, 36 miles.

Kalamazoo—Jay Stantz was remanded for sentence after he was found guilty of an attack upon his sister-in-law on the day of his wife's funeral.

Bessomer—W. E. Taft, collection agent for an Ashtabula, Wis., insurance company, was held up and robbed of \$285, his day's receipts, by two armed men near the iron mine.

Benton Harbor—Roy F. Wallace, 47, business man and for 10 years a member of the Benton Harbor city council, died at his home here, following a general breakdown in health.

Muskegon—Muskegon Chamber of Commerce directors voted to discontinue the Chambers' financial support to Camp Roosevelt, although the board voted to pay for 1921 on a pro rata basis.

Hillsdale—More than 600 dog owners in Hillsdale County are delinquent in paying their taxes. One hundred of these were also delinquent last year. The list has been turned over to the sheriff.

St. Johns—Thirty-one boys were initiated into the local chapter of the Order of De Molay, an organization for sons of Masons, at its first meeting here. Russell Frank was elected master concilar.

Muskegon—George Abbott, vice-president of the Hackley National bank of this city, died of heart disease. He had been connected with the institution for more than 40 years and was one of the city's best known bankers. He was 70 years old.

An Arbor—The University of Michigan began its 64th year with an estimated attendance of around 10,000. It is expected the attendance for the year will go to 12,000 within another month. That would be an increase of 12 per cent over last year.

Battle Creek—Adrian Cooper, attorney representing Mack Smith of Albion, who was convicted of manslaughter, appeared in Circuit Court and secured a stay of sentence for a week until he has opportunity to make motion for a new trial. He claims important new evidence.

Kalamazoo—Severely condemning the mothers of Kalamazoo who allow their daughters to attend movie shows unattended by adults, Judge George Weimer sentenced William Stevens to 90 days in the county jail on a charge of molesting a little girl who sat near him during a recent performance.

Saginaw—The cornerstone of the new Saginaw general hospital was laid by officials of the Saginaw Welfare league, the organization in which all of Saginaw's charitable and welfare bodies are affiliated. The hospital when completed and equipped will represent an investment of approximately \$875,000.

Dowagiac—A coroner's jury returned a verdict which found that William Monroe and his wife and daughter, who were found clubbed to death in their beds were killed by "a person or persons unknown." The Cass County board of supervisors has offered a reward of \$2,500 for the arrest and conviction of the slayer.

Owosso—A judgment of \$50 has been given Enulf Moss, of Owosso, against Henry Shellenberger, a former Owosso special police officer, by a jury in Circuit Court. Shellenberger arrested Moss last spring for violation of the prohibition law, but when the Supreme Court ruled that the evidence obtained without search warrant could not be used, the case was dropped. Moss charged false arrest.

Battle Creek—Nearly two years and a half ago Earl Williams, of the 63rd Engineers, shipped home from France. As he deposited his surplus equipment with the quartermaster at Havre, he labeled the blanket with his name and address. Recently Mr. Williams, whose home is in Albion entered an army and navy store here to buy a blanket. The one he received bore the name and address which he had placed on it in France.

Pontiac—Elizabeth Nax, 17, through an interpreter, told in circuit court the story of how she had been attacked by her stepfather, Frank Werner, with the aid of her mother, on the day of her arrival here from Alsace-Lorraine. The girl accuses the couple of a serious offense against her. She was brought to this country, she said, by false stories of the affluence in which the Werners lived, but found them in a three-room shack at Ferndale.

Grand Haven—The hearing on the petition for an injunction brought by the Grand Rapids, Grand Haven & Milwaukee Railway company, against Walter Christensen, A. M. Witmer, Leo and Archie Langlos, of Muskegon, and others, was adjourned 10 days, giving attorneys for the plaintiff time in which to file briefs. The railway charges in its bill of complaint that the busses cannot compete with the railway in carrying passengers or freight between cities, villages or townships on their line of operations, as they are not franchised.

Iron Mountain—Henry Ford of Detroit, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Edsel Ford and C. W. Avery, arrived here unexpectedly. After spending a few hours at the Ford auto plant and mill, the party continued to Negaunee to inspect the Ford plant and timber holdings. Mr. Ford said: "Business will get back to normal only when prices are cut sufficiently. After the war we found a number of losers, non-producers, in our Detroit plant. We weeded them out and are now able to sell cars cheaper than before the war."

Mason—A third of the divorce cases listed for the September term court here were begun by men.

Traverse City—R. A. Bostwick and Earl Stewart, of state conservation department, are preparing the site of a large fish hatchery to be built here.

Lansing—A campaign has been started to secure rooms for the 6,000 visitors expected in Lansing, October 17 to 20 for the annual state convention of Michigan Odd Fellows and Rebekahs.

Flinn—Ptomaine poisoning, believed due to eating frankfurters at a weiner roast a few days ago, caused the death of Harold Doherty, 31, a football star of high school and semi-professional football.

Port Huron—W. O. Lee, state representative, has filed with the city clerk his petition as a candidate for mayor at the city election, Oct. 31. Mayor John V. French has announced he will run for re-election. W. G. Jenkins is also a candidate for the office of United States senator and elections committee.

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FORD WILL HARVEST LUMBER

Auto Manufacturer Has Plan for Conserving U. P. Tracts.

Iron Mountain, Mich.—"One hundred years from now we will have more timber on our upper peninsula lands than we have today," declared Henry Ford. Detroit motor manufacturer, discussing plans of the Ford company for systematically managing the timber harvest on the immense tract of land recently acquired by his company.

"We will not cut a single tree less than one foot in diameter," Mr. Ford declared, "unless that cutting is necessary to the growth of some other tree. Our company is going to harvest its timber, but not clear it out."

Mr. Ford urged greater efforts at fire protection and more systematic forest management in the upper peninsula, also the reforestation of all lands cut over.

NAVAL RESERVE IS DISBANDED

Only Two Classes Left, Result of Economy Measure.

Washington.—The naval reserve of the United States is virtually disbanded under an order issued by Secretary Denby disbanding all classes, except one and six and affecting approximately 155,000 men of the reserve.

The order was effective September 30. All men of the classes affected who are now on active duty are exempted from the workings of the order at present.

In making the announcement Secretary Denby pointed out that the step of such importance was taken only through the pressure of economy and with great regret by the department.

Swaps Guns for Moonshine.

Charleston, W. Va.—Wesley Light, Jr., of Dana, near here, was arrested by federal military authorities, charged with trying to trade moonshine whiskey for government arms and ammunition in the military camp at Kanawha City. Light will be arraigned in the federal court here, officers said, and his case prosecuted before the civil authorities. When he was arrested Light had a government revolver and about 250 cartridges on his person.

Mrs. Caruso Coming to U. S.

New York—Mrs. Enrico Caruso will sail from Havre for the United States, October 23. Word was received by friends in New York that she had engaged passage for herself and baby daughter, Gloria, on the steamer Paris of the French line, sailing for New York on that date. Whether the two sons of the tenor, Rudolfo and Giovanna Caruso, would accompany their father's widow, could not be learned. Mrs. Caruso is now staying in Rome.

REPORT NEWBERRY LEGALLY ELECTED

MICHIGAN SENATOR ENTITLED
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CARL WANDERER PAYS PENALTY

Slayer of Wife in Fake Holdup Goes
to Gallows.

Chicago.—Singing a popular song, Carl Wanderer, convicted of killing his wife, her unborn baby and a "ragged stranger," whom he hired to stage a fake holdup, was hanged at the Cook County jail at 7:19 a. m. Sept. 30. Wanderer walked to the gallows with a firm step and as he took his place on the scaffold repeated a short prayer after a minister.

Asked whether he had anything to say, he replied in the affirmative, and as a shroud was adjusted on his head, started the song, "Oh, Pal, why don't you answer me?" He was singing when the trap dropped.

EQUIP TROOPS FOR RUM WAR

State to Spend \$10,000 for Motorcycles
and Portable Houses.

Lansing—To equip the state police department for a vigorous fight against rum runners and other law violators the state administrative board has authorized Roy C. Vandercook, commissioner of public safety, to purchase \$10,000 worth of motorcycles and portable houses. The motorcycles will be distributed among the troops. The houses will be erected at various places in the state where constabulary posts were declared by the majority to be without foundation.

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CAMP HOSPITAL READY NOV. 1

Camp Custer Community House Will
Be Used by Disabled Vets.

Lansing—The Community house at Camp Custer will probably be turned over to the American Legion about November 1. Arrangements were made by the state administrative board to complete the transaction on that date by which the state recovers the building from the International Health company.

The Legion will use the structure as a hospital for sick and disabled war veterans.

I. C. C. URGES RAIL COMBINE

Has Plan to Consolidate All Lines
into 19 Great Systems.

Washington.—The Interstate commerce commission has announced tentative plans for consolidating all of the major railroads of the United States into 19 great systems and gave notice that hearings would be called in the near future.

The step was taken under provisions of the transportation act which allows the consolidation, if voluntary with the railroads concerned.

FATTY ARBUCKLE OUT ON BAIL

Judge Rules Film Comedian Can't Be
Held for Murder.

San Francisco—Roscoe "Fatty" Arbuckle was bound over to the superior court by Judge Sylvan Lazarus on a charge of manslaughter.

He had been admitted to bail of \$5,000 and returned to his home in Los Angeles, with his wife and his mother-in-law, his attorneys, and some close friends.

HEROIC SWIMMER COMMENDED.

Washington.—Swimming a swollen stream four times at midnight to prevent a second train from crashing into a railroad wreck near Noonan, Texas, on September 10, has brought to William J. Redd, Jr., of Houston, Texas, the commendation of the secretary of the navy and the commandant of the marine corps. Redd, who undertook the two sections of his country over a half century ago strolled about the city recalling experiences of the battlefield and camp.

\$30,000 Reward for Bandits.

Oklahoma City, Okla.—A telegram was received by postoffice officials here from Postmaster-General Hayes authorizing the reward of \$30,000 for the capture of the robbers who held up a train on the Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe railroad, near here, and robbed the mail car. The reward is in the form of \$5,000 for each of the six men who participated in the robbery.

OLD VETERANS GET TOGETHER.

Indianapolis—Friendships formed on the Union army's battle lines in the days from '61 to '65 were renewed here as the Grand Army of the Republic assembled for its fiftieth annual encampment. Arm in arm comrades of the conflict fought between the two sections of his country over a half century ago strolled about the city recalling experiences of the battlefield and camp.

Now He's in Jail Again.

Battle Creek—Bert Wood was arrested here on a charge of aiding in the escape of Lon Pelton in the Hastings jail. Pelton was captured by officers who trailed him to a guice east of the city, where his mother was taking meals to him. Wood, well known here, was recently arrested for driving his high power car while drunk and plowing into a Lake avenue telephone pole. It is claimed he passed a saw to Pelton in his cell by which he effected his escape.

Prisoners Turn Out Counterfeit.

Manila.—A complete counterfeiting outfit has been discovered in Billibid prison, Manila, by the police, who state that some of the prison guards have been co-operating with convicts in turning out false money. The gang, apparently, had been operating only a short time but already it has sent out a number of bills of small denomination which are now in circulation and it had completed preparations for counterfeiting bills of large denominations.

Brother Given \$1 in Will.

New York.—The will of Frederick Footh, leaves \$1 to George H. Footh, of Detroit, a brother of the testator.

Mr. Footh said of this small bequest:

"For certain reasons known to myself,

I give my brother George H. Footh

\$1 and no more, by reason of the fact

that I do not care to have him, his

wife or any of his children benefit to

any appreciable extent in my estate."

Mr. Footh left to Charlotte T. Tausig,

a niece, living at the same address,

\$25,000 and his household effects.

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The American Legion

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LEGION MAN IS LIFE SAVER

John L. Piazza, Officer 4944, New York Police Force, Well Deserves His Medals.

Saving lives is almost a specialty with officer 4944 of the New York police force, former private and top sergeant of the Three Hundred and Twelfth Infantry, A. E. F., now a member of the General Lafayette Police post, American Legion, in New York City. Patrolman Piazza, John L., wears the Distinguished Service Cross.

It was in the Argonne in October, 1918, near Grand Pre, Piazza, advancing with his platoon, saw a badly wounded officer laying alone in No Man's Land, abandoned when his lines fell back to re-form. On his stomach, Piazza crawled out to the spot, stung the wounded man over his shoulder and standing erect, carried him to safety with the shells whistling and exploding.

Discharged from the army, Patrolman Piazza resumed his beat in the far reaches of the borough of the Bronx. It wasn't long after that when he dashed up into a burning building, rescued an invalid woman and carried her to the street. Shortly after that he stopped a runaway horse and saved a group of women and children from injury. Officer 4944 is the twenty-five years old, married and the father of a son.

WAS 62 WHEN HE ENLISTED

Former Train Dispatcher Did Good Service for Uncle Sam—An Enthusiastic Legion Man.

Sixty-two years young he was, H. E. Lamb, Worthington, Minn., told the recruiting officers during the war. So they enlisted him and sent him to a chilly berth in faraway Siberia. He weathered nine months of it to make it a good bargain.

Mr. Lamb was living a life of retirement on a farm near Worthington when America entered the war. He had been a train dispatcher and he thought his services would be valuable. The army thought so, too, and enlisted him. It was in the nature of a celebration of his sixty-second birthday.

Returning from service, Mr. Lamb interested himself in the activities of his younger comrades. He has never missed a state or national convention of the American Legion, and with his wife, who is a member of the Women's Auxiliary, he drove 200 miles to attend the last one at Winona, Minn. There the Legion gathering made him a vice commander of the state department. Now he is planning to drive all the way to the national convention at Kansas City this fall.

WOULD GET JOBS FOR MEN

State President of Oregon Women's Auxiliary Plans to Dust Women Who Do Not Need Work.

A movement to oust from employment all married women who are not forced by necessity to work has been started by Mrs. W. A. Elvers, Portland, Ore., recently re-elected state president of the Oregon department of the Women's Auxiliary, the American Legion.

Mrs. Elvers speaks from first-hand information. As trained nurse and more recently as superintendent of the Emergency hospital in Portland, she has been doing a big man's work for years—but her husband has been an invalid for years.

"Women got started in men's work during the war, when it was necessary and laudable," Mrs. Elvers declared. "They are keeping it up now. Those who have husbands supporting them have no right to keep needy men out of employment. They are willing to work for less, too. They are breaking up our homes, all because they want extra pin money. It must stop and it's going to in Oregon, at least."

R-revenge.
Indignant Arizonian (to busy boot-legger)—Hey, I've just been bitten by a rattler. Gimme a quart of your cheapest stuff.

Busy B—Better take some of the high-priced stuff, pardner.

L. A.—Not on your life. This is for the rattler.—American Legion Weekly.

How Ex-Service Men Have Scattered.

An indication of how men who served with the American forces during the World war have scattered to distant corners of the globe is given in a report from South Dakota that the soldiers' bonus bond had received applications from ex-service men living in Africa, South America, China, Alaska, Japan and several European countries. The board is verifying claims of applicants through the 68 foreign posts of the American Legion.

THEY'RE GOOD "LEGION MEN"

Washington State Newspaper Pair are Members of the Ex-Service Men's Organizations.

The time honored tradition of violent feuds supposed to exist between the average hard-boiled city editor and the average soft-boiled reporter suffers a relapse in the strange case of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Reavis, members of Rainier-Noble post, the American Legion, and its Women's auxiliary, in Seattle, Wash.

Before the war Reavis was a city editor and Dora Deane, a Pacific coast woman newspaper writer, was one of his cub reporters. When Reavis went to war with the 41st Division cavalry, Miss Dora became city editor. Returning after the armistice, the ex-city editor sought to regain the editorial reins by marrying Miss Deane. Finding that as Mrs. Reavis she was the managing editor while he became a cub, Reavis forsook the game and became Associated Press correspondent in Seattle.

"She was pretty good as a cub reporter," Reavis says. "But as managing editor, she is a wonder." Mrs. Reavis continues as Dora Deane of the Seattle Daily Times.

INDIAN, LEGION POST BOSS

Elias Wesley and Sixteen Washington Buddies Also Control Town of White Swan.

Where his fathers once tried to resist the civilization of the white man, Elias Wesley, fullblood Yakima Indian, commander of an American Legion post, and sixteen of his Yakima "buddies" now control the prosperous town of White Swan, Wash.

More than half of the post's members are fullblood Indians. Wesley, the commander, is the village meat cutter. The remainder of the Indians, all members of the Commercial club, are engaged in business in the town. All are graduates of a government school and are better educated than the average American.

Because he was a meat cutter, when Wesley enlisted in the United States navy they made him ship's cook on the U. S. S. Western Chief. In the membership of the post there is a Medal of Honor, a Medaille Militaire, a Croix de Guerre and a Victoria cross.

"GRAND OLD MAN" OF 137TH

Kansas Editor Recently Received Distinguished Service Cross for Valor in Action.

They Made Money Rapidly.

The next class is composed of the land-owning farmers, who grow their own cane and have it ground on shares, after the fashion of the rural grist mill. The remainder of the cane is grown by the owners of the mills themselves. At some centrals the "administration" cane, as that grown under "central" management is known, amounts to only 4 per cent of the total; at others it amounts to 90 per cent.

Even the share farmer, at pre-war prices, made money. According to "Cuba Before the World," the official handbook of the republic at the Panama-Pacific exposition, when sugar was selling at 26 cents a pound, his share of the sugar brought him on the basis of twelve sacks to the acre, a return of from \$46 to \$51 per acre. When one remembers that the selling price of sugar in 1920 was from four to six times as high as before the war, the size of the per-acre income at the high tide of prices is apparent.

Boon in Sugar Lands.

A great deal of the cane land produces much more sugar to the acre than the modest twelve bags that formed the basis of the calculations cited from "Cuba Before the World." According to figures furnished by the Cuban department of agriculture, much land produces 22 bags to the acre. This, at 15 cents a pound, brings a gross return of more than \$1,000 an acre.

These conditions brought about an unprecedented boom in sugar lands. One sugar estate, which was bought about 1917 for \$3,000,000, sold in January 1920 for \$9,500,000. Another which was valued at about \$30,000 a few years before, changed hands at \$15,000.

Numerous new "centrals" were built, all capitalized on the basis of earnings during the early months of 1920. Thousands of American capitalists invested in these flourishing enterprises.

How Cuba's receipts from sugar expanded is shown by the fact that the 1915 crop brought a total return of less than \$200,000,000, while two-thirds of the 1920 crop, (one-third remains unsold) brought \$400,000,000.

Production Cheaper There.

Cuba has the advantage of every country in producing sugar cheaply. Most countries have to plant every two years, but the average in Cuba is one in from 7 to 12 years.

In most parts of the island the harvesting season is six months long—from December to June; but in some sections the harvest lasts from

Many Physicians Volunteer.

Four hundred and fifty physicians who are members of a post of the American Legion in New York city have volunteered their services in the reconstruction work of World war veterans.

To Make Musical Comedies.

To make certain that their town will be "alive" this winter, the American Legion post of Hutchinson, Minn., has contracted for three musical comedies to be staged there during the cold months.

CUBA'S SUGAR INDUSTRY



In a Cuban Sugar Mill.

(Prepared by the National Geographic Society, Washington, D. C.)

Cuba, which immediately following the World war climbed to heights of prosperity seldom attained by any other small country, has passed now into the valley of hard times; and the reason in both cases was the same—sugar. For though the island's annual tobacco harvest is very valuable and though it has many other potential, if undeveloped, resources, it is hardly overemphasizing the importance of sugar production to say that Cuba is a one-crop country. When European and Eastern sugar was unobtainable prices soared skyward and Cuba not only cashed in heavily on her usual production but feverishly increased her cane acreage and sugar mills. Now that sugar from the eastern hemisphere is reaching the world markets while Europe has little buying power, sugar prices have fallen to low levels and Cuba is finding her war-increased crop a drug on the market. Financial gloom has followed upon the heels of a most hectic prosperity, "as the night the day."

The crop is harvested. In harvesting, the cane-cutters first strip the blades from the stalk; then they cut off the upper part of the latter, which is worthless except for replanting, since what juice it contains possesses very little sugar. One of the strange things about sugar-cane is that the sap of the growing plant has little sugar, while in the mature stalk the juice is rich in sucrose. The action of the sun's rays seems to transform glucose into sucrose—a transformation that cannot be accomplished by human means. If man knew how to do that, every cornfield would be a sugar field.

The main body of the stalk is cut down and loaded into the ox-carts. In these it is hauled to the field station and placed in the waiting carts. Each cart contains about twenty tons and each train is made up of thirty carts. This makes 600 tons of cane to the trainload, and eight to ten trainloads a day are required to keep one of the bigger centrals in operation for 24 hours. The big United Fruit central at Preston requires the crop from 250 acres every day to keep it busy. Imagine a field three-fifths of a mile square being harvested between sunup and sundown to keep one central going!

At the mills the carts of cane are dumped on an endless belt which carries it to the crushing rolls. Each set of rolls the cane passes through pressed it harder than the one before. The last set may exert a pressure of a million pounds, and when the "bagasse," as the crushed cane is called, issues from them it is almost as dry as tinder. It is carried by conveyors to the fire-boxes of the boilers, where it is used as fuel in generating the steam that drives the big mills and boils the cane juice. The stream of crushed cane flows through the last set of rolls at a speed of seven miles a day.

Making the Sugar.

After the juice is freed of sediment it is pumped in the evaporators, where about half of the water is boiled out of it.

The next step in the making of sugar is to draw the thick juice into the vacuum pans. Here it comes into contact with hot steam coils and boils at a very low temperature because of the absence of atmospheric pressure. As the boiling proceeds, the sugar crystallizes into small grains.

The sugar and the adhering syrup are finally removed to a centrifugal machine that acts somewhat on the principle of a cream separator. Placed inside a perforated basket and whirled around at from 1,000 to 1,400 revolutions a minute, all of the syrup is forced out through the perforations while the crystallized sugar remains.

This syrup is boiled again and the process is repeated until all the available sweetness has been extracted. The remaining liquor is the "blackstrap" molasses of commerce.

A ton of sugar-cane yields four and one-half gallons of blackstrap molasses, and one gets a good impression of the immensity of the industry when, on a single day's rail journey, he meets a dozen solid trains of some forty big tank cars each, every car full to the dome with blackstrap.

After sugar has come from the centrifugals it goes to the bagging room where it is put into bags that hold 325 pounds each. These are hauled in trainloads to the docks and shipped to the United States, where the big refineries remove the impurities and transform the sugar from dirty yellow to immaculate white.

BIBLE WITH HISTORY.

On the desk of Supt. R. T. Garland of the Maine Bible society at Portland is a Bible that has a very interesting history. This copy of the Bible, which is substantially bound in leather, has stamped upon the front cover, "Bible Ellen Martin," and upon the back cover, "New York Bible Society." The book bears the imprint of 1805, and on the inside cover page

is the note: "This volume is placed on board for the use of the ship's company and passengers, and should any changes occur it is requested that it be allowed to remain as a part of the cabin furniture." The Bible eventually fell into the hands of a Bangor family and was by them turned over to one of the Maine Bible society workers. Superintendent Garland contemplates returning the book to the New York society with a sketch of its history, so far as he is able to learn it.—Kennebec Journal.

AUTUMN FORECASTS VARIED STYLES IN SUITS



The first of December to the first of October. The fields are so planted in the first place that each month of the grinding season produces its own crop of mature cane. Here is a group of fields where the new crop has just sprouted; over yonder another group where the cane is half grown; and on farther is a group where harvesting operations are in full swing.

How the Crop is Harvested.

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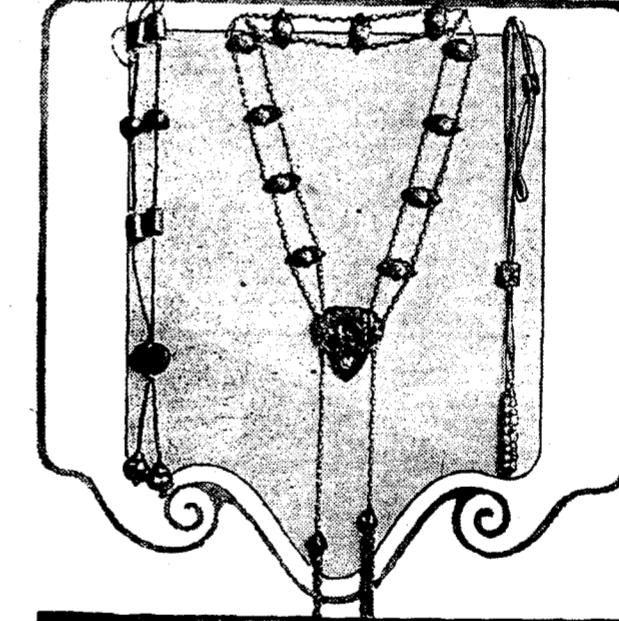
In coats as in gowns, sleeves will hold the center of the stage, playing the leading role opposite collars. In a great many coats sleeves are wide at the bottom and fur is ingeniously used for trimming them. Very deep

collars of fur matching collars of it on the longer of the suit coats fit them to play a dual role and to serve as wraps to be worn with frocks as well as their own particular skirts.

Chin collars there are in great variety of shapes, wide and either straight or flaring, but they divide honors with the tuxedo collar. Squirrel, kolinsky, beaver, caracul, fox, broadtail and beaver harmonize with the quiet colors and soft fabrics which the season approves. The handsome suit pictured here is typical with its wide sleeves banded with fur and richly embroidered, its eccentric collar of fur, and embroidery emphasizing its low waistline. It has a narrow girdle of the cloth with narrow bands of fur on the ends.

It is settled that skirts are not to be much lengthened. After rumors that they were going to the ankles it turns out that they have struck a happy medium and stop at the shoe tops.

PRETTY THINGS WOMEN MAKE FOR THEMSELVES



BADS and pendants of colored sealing wax, strung on silk cord or small metallic chains or baby ribbon (in velvet or satin) are having a great vogue. They are easily made and the work is fascinating. Very inexpensive metallic chains and girdles can be made handsomely decorative by applying flowers made of sealing wax to them. They are fashionable with coats and frocks and replace the belts or girdles made of fabrics. In the illustration above a necklace of beads, strung on a silk cord, gun metal girdle with wax roses applied to its metal medallions, slides and tassels, and a long pendant and slide on a strand of baby velvet ribbon, are good examples of fashionable ornaments.

To make the beads and medallions, very simple and inexpensive materials are required. They include large-sized steel knitting needle, a steel knife, a small alcohol lamp, a little piece of cotton cloth and several sticks of colored sealing wax. A candle or gas flame may take the place of the alcohol lamp, and a glass of cold water completes the worker's outfit.

Select the color wanted and, with a heated knife, cut off two pieces of wax, each half the size of the bead to be made. Heat the steel knitting needle and dip it in the wax. Hold the needle and dip the wax into the flame until it is melted, then dip it in water to cool. Remove and dry the bead with the cloth. Heat each stick in turn and drop a little wax on the bead; revolve over the flame again. The colors will flow around the bead, blending in varying designs. Cool the bead again, dry and pass over the flame to give luster. Heat the needle on each side of the bead until it is loosened, slide back and forth on the needle and remove. While the bead is warm it may be pressed by the fingers or knife, or on a piece of glass, into different shapes.

Julie Bottomley

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Remove Stain.

To remove iodine or greasy stains apply alcohol. When salts of lemon are used to remove rust dip in oxalic acid and rinse well in borax water.

To remove peach or pear stain leave over night on snow. Dip in oxalic acid and rinse well in borax or ammonia water.

The Handkerchief Bag.

Housekeepers know how troublesome it is on wash-day to dry the handkerchiefs for a large family. To hang them on the line together with bits of lace and other small white articles, is a labor of time and patience. One ingenious housewife has devised a plan which saves her many minutes. She made a long shallow bag of coarse white netting, with a draw-string at the top, and sewed tapes at the corners and at intervals of three or four inches in between.

When the small articles are ready for hanging on the line they are laid carefully in the bag, the string is drawn up, so they cannot blow out, and the bag is pinned to the line by the tapes, for the sun and wind to filter through the open meshes of the net.

For Cakes.

Be sure that the lard, butter or other shortening is thoroughly mixed with the flour in making a cake. The result will be a richer, more finely grained cake.

MOTHER, QUICK! GIVE CALIFORNIA FIG SYRUP

FOR CHILD'S BOWELS

Even a sick child loves the "fruity" taste of "California Fig Syrup." If the little tongue is coated, or if your child has a sore throat, feverish, full of cold, or has colic, a teaspoonful will never fail to open the bowels. In a few hours you can see for yourself how thoroughly it works all the constipation poison, sour bile and waste from the tender, little bowels and gives the well, playful child again.

Millions of mothers keep "California Fig Syrup" handy. They know a teaspoonful today saves a sick child tomorrow. Ask your druggist for genuine "California Fig Syrup" which has directions for babies and children of all ages printed on bottle. Mother! You must say, "California" or you may

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LOCAL NEWS

Miss Minnie Nelson, who recently returned from a trip in the west, spent the week end the guest of her brother, W. C. Nelson and family of Gaylord.

Mrs. George Langevin and Miss Elizabeth are entertaining Miss Lula Palmer of Lapeer at Lake Margrethe, where they are spending a number of weeks.

The base-ball game scheduled for last Sunday to be played between the Cadillac Truck team and Grayling's C. W. C. was cancelled on account of the inclemency of the weather.

The Woman's club held a special business meeting at the home of their president Mrs. Robert Roblin Tuesday evening. After a social hour was enjoyed, dainty refreshments were served.

Charles Corwin and Hugo Schreiber and families visited at the farm home of County Agent R. D. Bailey in Gaylord Sunday and incidentally taking in some object lessons in soil improvement on his farm.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Joseph entertained very delightfully at Bridge Saturday evening. There were 20 ladies and gentlemen present. The hostess served a delicious lunch. Mrs. Olaf Michelson and Holger Hanson won prizes.

Mrs. O. W. Hanson and twin daughters Ella and Margaret are in Detroit, where Mrs. Hanson underwent an operation Tuesday. Miss Margaret who was suffering with an abscess on one of her eyes also submitted to an operation.

Mrs. Harry Simpson, worthy matron, and Mrs. Esbern Olson, associate matron and Mrs. J. C. Burton and Mrs. Efner Matson of Grayling Eastern Star chapter will attend grand chapter meeting that is to be held at Saginaw next week.

Mrs. Ben Shore and daughter Mary Jane of Bay City have come to Grayling for the winter, joining Mr. Shore. Mr. Shore is assistant superintendent at the local duPont plant. The family have taken up quarters in the home of Mrs. A. Kraus.

C. W. Olson, formerly the head book-keeper in the offices of the Salling-Hanson company, motored over from Owosso and spent a few days visiting old friends. Mr. Olson left on his return trip to Owosso Tuesday morning and was accompanied by Mr. C. B. Olevarius, who was bound for Lansing on a business mission.

Lars Rasmussen has returned from a visit to Flint with his nephew Frank Bernard. Mr. Rasmussen also enjoyed visit with our well known old citizen, William Woodfield and his family, whom he says have a very pleasant home. Mr. Rasmussen had the pleasure of attending the Masonic Lodge and listening to Mr. Woodfield deliver the obligation in the third degree.

Next week is Fire prevention week and people are expected to spend some time considering ways and means of preventing fires. All can help in saving lives and property from needless fire destruction. In the year 1920 fire cost more than 15,000 lives and \$50,000,000. Clean your premises; correct your hazards and cultivate carefulness. Most fires are preventable.

Mrs. Flossie Mapes was called to Rogers City last week by the illness of her mother, Mrs. R. Boerner.

Alonzo Richardson visited over Sunday with his daughter, Mrs. Cameron Game and family, returning to his home in Marion yesterday.

A pumpkin weighing 76½ pounds and raised by J. P. Jensen on his farm near T-Town is attracting a lot of attention on display in the window of the R. D. Connine grocery.

County Clerk Frank Sales handed Township Treasurer Erner Matson a check for \$9518.77 Tuesday as Grayling's share in the State primary money and delinquent tax money.

The Ladies Aid society of the Michigan Memorial church will hold its regular monthly meeting Friday afternoon, October 7, at 2:30 o'clock. Important Meeting! Come prepared to sew for the fair. Bring the rags you are to sew for the rugs, or there will be other sewing for you. A luncheon will be served for the sake of cheer. Please all Aid members come.

Twenty-three ladies were guests of Mrs. James Hartwick and Mrs. Ralph Routier at luncheon Friday afternoon at the Hanson dining room at Lake Margrethe. After luncheon the ladies spent the afternoon playing "500" in the Bauman cottage. The high scores were held by Mrs. C. R. Keyport and Mrs. Oscar Schumann. The affair was very much enjoyed by those present.

Mrs. W. E. Havens entertained a number of ladies and gentlemen at her home yesterday afternoon in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Wright Havens, who are visiting here. It happened to be Mr. Havens' birthday anniversary, and also Mrs. Havens wanted them many old friends to meet them again. A fine lunch was served and the guests enjoyed the affair very much.

Dr. and Mrs. Claude R. Keyport and daughter Jane left Sunday morning to enjoy a motor trip through a number of southern cities expecting to be gone for the month of October. Dr. W. M. Nelson of Detroit arrived the latter part of the week to aid Dr. Howell during Dr. Keyport's absence. Dr. Charles T. Lewis, who had been in Grayling during the absence of Dr. Howell returned Saturday to Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. Wright Havens of the Grayling colony in Pasco, Washington former old residents of Grayling arrived in Grayling last Saturday to pay their son Will E. Havens and family a visit. They had been attending the G. A. R. encampment at Indianapolis, Ind. and had planned to come at this time to make a visit in Grayling. They will return to their home some time next week. Their many old friends will be glad to welcome them, this being their first visit in two years.

Schram's orchestra enjoyed a fine patronage at a dancing party they gave in Grayling Tuesday evening of last week and on the following evening gave a party in the K. of C. hall in Cheboygan. The Cheboygan Democrat says that the music was thoroughly enjoyed and that another party with the same music had been planned for some night in October. The Schram orchestra have made another addition to their orchestra by having a banjo player join their organization.

Prosecuting Attorney Fitch is investigating a protracted election scandal that occurred during the spring township campaign. Sworn affidavits have been submitted to him for consideration. It is expected that the Avalanche will be permitted to publish these statements in the near future, together with statements from the principles and the final opinion of Mr. Fitch. These are public matters and the public have the right to know about them. If there has been fraud the people should know of it and the offenders punished and if there has been no fraud then the accused should welcome the investigation and thus clear his name from scandal and then also this paper should be willing to publish the facts and that we certainly are most willing to do.

The regular meetings of the National Legion of Veterans and Sons will be held on Wednesday nights of each week instead of on Monday nights as has been here-to-fore.

H. Clay Hodgson, chemist, who has resumed his duties at the local DuPont plant, returned Monday from a business trip to Cincinnati, Ohio. Mr. Hodgson has been at the Bay City plant during the summer.

A dancing party was given in Fredric Tuesday night for the folks of Jones Lake, and several from Grayling were invited to the affair.

A. W. Tausond, ex-mayor of Saginaw was in the city one day this week enroute to Wolverine.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Reagan and daughter, Elaine left this morning for Detroit, making the trip by auto. The former's brother, Francis Reagan, who had been visiting here accompanied them.

Riverview has organized a band.

Mrs. Charles Stephens and little daughter spent a few days of last week at Walton Junction with Miss Josie Stephens.

The Gift Shop has a fine new swing.

Lawrence Roberts returned Wednesday to Cheboygan, after a several weeks' stay here.

Get your winter's supply of potatoes at Salling-Hanson company's grocery store at only \$1.10 per bushel.

Come out next Sunday and see the Grayling M. C. trim South Boardman who will be here with a battery from Cadillac. Game called at 2:30 o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Cassidy, son new, Lawrence Kessler, enjoyed a motor trip to Midland Saturday visiting with relatives until Tuesday.

Mrs. Ralph E. Routier and son Ralph Hanson, returned to their home in Detroit, Tuesday after spending the summer with parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Bauman at Lake Margrethe.

Base ball next Sunday, Grayling, C. V. vs. South Boardman, on local diamond. Come out and see the last game of the season. The South Boardites will have a Cadillac battery so a hot contest is looked for.

The New York American league defeated the New York National league team in the first two games, played yesterday and today by scores of 3 to 0, in each game. The series of seven games are to be played or until one team has won four games.

Postmaster Holger F. Peterson expects to leave tonight to attend the national convention of postmasters to be held in Washington, D. C. Mr. Peterson expects to be gone about fifteen days and enroute will stop at Canton, Ohio to visit relatives of Mrs. Peterson.

Mrs. Sidney J. Graham, who had spent a couple of weeks visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Rasmus Hanson, returned Thursday of last week to her home in Detroit. Mrs. Graham was accompanied by her mother, who will remain in Detroit for a couple of weeks her guest.

Morrice Burroughs, formerly employed as barber in the local barber shops died at Harper hospital, Detroit yesterday afternoon at 1:00 o'clock from typhoid fever. The deceased was a member of the local Lodge L. O. O. M. He is mourned by his wife and a step-daughter.

Edward V. Barber, former freight agent for the M. C. R. R. here, having resigned his position, with Mrs. Barber expects to leave soon for Detroit to take up their residence.

Mrs. Walter Shank of Chicago returned home Saturday after a couple of weeks' pleasant visit with her mother, Mrs. Ella McIntyre. Miss Shank will be remembered as Miss Edith McIntyre, a former teacher in our schools.

Col. W. B. Greeley, chief U. S. Forester, Washington, D. C., Col. Peck and Mr. MacLaren of the District office of U. S. Forest Service, of Washington, D. C., and R. G. Schreck, supervisor Michigan National Forests, East Tawas visited Higgins Lake State forestry last Sunday and Monday. The work that is being done in Michigan is under direction of Marcus Schaaf, of this city, and the distinguished visitors reported that it is excellent, and they were well pleased with the work of reforesting that is being done here.

Clifford Merrill of Pine Hurst farm Beaver Creek, has had as his guest for the past two weeks, Capt. I. G. Thomas of New York City. The latter left Wednesday night for his home. He is assisting in the organizing of the DeMolay, an organization made up of sons of Masons and their chums between the ages of 16 and 21 years of age. He is just returning from a national convention of that organization held in San Francisco.

The reception for Rev. Fr. O. A. Bosler, newly appointed pastor of St. Mary's church held last Thursday evening at the K. of C. hall was well attended by the members of the parish and their families, who came to welcome their new pastor. The Ladies Altar Society served a fine pot luck dinner at 6:00 o'clock to all, the tables being nicely decorated for the occasion with bouquets of asters and other flowers, with here and there candlesticks holding colored candles. After dinner the evening was spent in a social way.

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Mr. and Mrs. Robert Reagan and daughter, Elaine left this morning for Detroit, making the trip by auto. The former's brother, Francis Reagan, who had been visiting here accompanied them.

Riverview has organized a band.

Mrs. Charles Stephens and little daughter spent a few days of last week at Walton Junction with Miss Josie Stephens.

A Remarkable Record.

Chamberlain's Cough Remedy has a remarkable record. It has been in use for colds, croup and whooping cough for almost half a century and has constantly grown in favor and popularity and its good qualities became better known. It is the standard and main reliance for these diseases in thousands of homes. The facts that it can always be depended upon and is safe and pleasant to take are greatly in its favor when it is wanted for children.

To Gain a Good Reputation.

The way to gain a good reputation is to endeavor to be what you appear.

That is precisely the manner in which Chamberlain's Cough Remedy has gained its reputation as a cure for coughs, colds, croup and whooping cough. Every bottle that has ever been put out by the manufacturers has been fully up to the high standard of excellence claimed for it. People have found that it can be depended upon for the relief and cure of these ailments and that it is pleasant and safe to take.

Below are some prices that I believe worthy of your consideration:

Extension Table = \$ 7.50

Dining Chairs, set of six, 10.00 up

Kitchen Cabinet = 7.50

Sanitary Cot, Pad and Che-

nille Cot Spread = 12.00

Heating Stoves, coal or wood, 11.00 up



FREE

"Do you write any free verse?"

"Yes, no editor will pay me for it."

PITY THE POET

Editor — I can't use your poem, but you might leave your address.

Poet — If you don't take the poem I shan't have any address.

SILLY WIL-LIE

Lillie Will-lie kissed a maiden

Maid from Boston, by the bay.

Willie's lips by frost were bitten —

For him it was a chilly day.

NOT EXACTLY ECONOMICAL

Mrs. A.: You say you kept a cook for a whole month. How in the world did you manage it?

Mrs. W.: We were cruising on a houseboat and she couldn't swim.

MYSTERY SOLVED

Mrs. A.: You say you kept a cook for a whole month. How in the world did you manage it?

I should say not; she has an idea that I have a five-foot shelf of bank books.

NOT EXACTLY ECONOMICAL

Has your wife any idea of the use of money?

I should say not; she has an idea that I have a five-foot shelf of bank books.

GOING DOWN

Johnnie: Say, Pop, can you go to heaven in an airplane?

Pop: Not by going up, Johnnie.

NOT EXACTLY ECONOMICAL

Doctor — I don't like your heart action.

You have had some trouble with angina pectoris.

Young Man (sheepishly) — You're partly right, doctor, only that isn't her name.

A CLOSE DIAGNOSIS

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Young Man (sheepishly) — You're partly right, doctor, only that isn't her name.

SHE KNEW

He: Yes, if there is anything in a person, travel will bring it out.

She: Yes, indeed, especially ocean travel.

IN THE CHILDLESS ERA

Going to the circus?

Yes, I don't want to, of course, but I'll have to take my wife's dog.

TAKES WORK

The world owes every man a living.

Maybe, but you've got to be persistent if you want to collect.

ALL PROMISED

He: Can't you spare me a kiss?

She: You'll have to ask Fred. I've promised them all to him.

Buy
Only the
**PUREST
GOODS**
for Use on the
Baby



Everything For Baby Here

It's not only a question of what you get for the baby. But where you get it is also an important matter.

The manner in which goods are kept has a great deal to do with the condition in which they reach you.

We employ extraordinarily careful methods in handling all goods for babies' uses. And we have everything you are likely to need, such as baby foods—nursing bottles—nipples—pacifiers—talcum powders—ointments and all standard internal remedies.



LOCAL NEWS

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 6.

Mrs. Miller Rose is spending a couple of days in Bay City.

Mrs. Holger C. Schmidt is spending a few days with friends in DeMolay.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Leveck and children visited friends in Rose City over Sunday.

Miss Beatrice Ketzbeck, milliner of Gaylord was a guest of Miss Angelia Amborski over the week-end.

Geo. Burke and Chas. Fehr returned Saturday from an auto trip to Detroit and Grand Rapids.

Mrs. Frank Cockran, who fell down stairs in her home a couple of weeks ago breaking her arm, is getting along nicely.

Mrs. Rose Forbes, who had been visiting old friends in Grayling, returned Monday to her home in Knightstown, Ind.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Miller and children of Pontiac are visiting Mrs. Miller's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. DeValch of Frederic.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Borchers are now nicely settled in their home on Maple street, which they purchased from William Fischer.

Mrs. Robert T. Roblin left Monday for her home in Jackson after a few days visit on her return from Manistee, with her husband's parents Mr. and Mrs. Robert M. Roblin.

GIFTS THAT LAST



Are you fair
to your watch?

An automobile needs frequent attention. What about your watch—mechanism infinitely more delicate?

CARBON in the motor of a car will decrease the running efficiency of that car. And yet the carbon will accumulate. The car owner, knowing this, has his car frequently overhauled—and the carbon removed.

And yet this same man, perhaps, will allow his watch, a mechanism infinitely more delicate, to run for years without attention. All the while it is accumulating dust—for tiny dirt particles will sit in through the most tightly fitting case—and this will in time impede the timekeeping performance of the watch.

Your automobile performs occasional service, but your watch has to run continuously for a full twenty-four hours each day. Look at your watch. How long has it been since you took it to a jeweler for examination?

ANDREW PETERSON

WE GUARANTEE EVERY ARTICLE WE SELL

Ready for your Meat Orders

We have opened a market in connection with our store, and will have a complete line of fresh and smoked meats. It is our intention to be able to supply you with any variety you may desire. This department is under management of Niels Anderson, who has had years of experience in the meat market business and knows how to run one.

You will find that it will pay you to do your trading here.

Railway Men's Union Co-operative Assn.
Free Delivery

Phone 961.

Miss Edythe Schreves of Lowell spent the week-end in Grayling.

James Jergenson returned Monday night from a few days visit in Detroit.

The October session of the County board of supervisors will convene Monday, October 17.

There will be a regular meeting of the Gaylord Chapter O. E. S. No. 83 on Wednesday evening, Oct. 12th.

Get your winter's supply of potatoes at Salling Hanson company's grocery store at only \$1.10 per bu.

The Goodfellowship club held a business meeting at the home of its president, Mrs. R. H. Gillett Monday.

Ladies, now is the time to begin to make your Christmas presents, fine line of stamped goods at the Gift Shop.

Jess Schoonover left Saturday for Royal Oak, called there by the serious illness of his brother-in-law, Wm. Martin.

Mr. and Mrs. James Hartwick who have been spending the summer at Lake Margrethe returned to Detroit Monday.

R. E. Tobias of Pollock Petrolone milliners of Detroit will have an opening at Cooley & Redson's Thursday Oct. 13.

An advertisement appears on the last page of this issue of an auction sale by Benjamin F. Sherman at his farm near Frederic.

Albert Borchers left Thursday for Traverse City to be employed at the Traverse City garage. His wife will join him in a couple of weeks.

Mrs. E. W. Behke and daughter Helen returned Tuesday from an auto trip in the north. They visited friends in Newberry and Escanaba.

Mrs. Charles T. Trombley, who has been visiting her mother, Mrs. Delevan Smith for a number of weeks, expects to return to her home in Saginaw Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Gates of Clare spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Wingard, taking home their little son who had been visiting his grandparents.

Attorney Homer L. Fitch went to Gaylord Monday and trot back his wife who was recovering from an operation recently undergone in that city. The latter stood the trip very well but became very tired by the time they reached Grayling.

Mrs. Matilda Sparks, who has been spending a number of weeks in Galesburg, Ill., with relatives and old friends, and also with her daughter Miss Elsie, who is training for nurse in a hospital in Chicago, returned home Thursday of last week.

Charles Schreck returned from Flint Friday, driving through a new Buick for Buick Agent Marius Hanson. Mrs. Schreck, who had been visiting in Flint accompanied him as far as Bay City remaining there for the day with her daughter, Mrs. William Russell and family.

Miss Virginia Patterson employed by A. H. VanDoran, the Furniture dealer of Gaylord came down last Saturday to assist Mr. Hilton with his opening sale. She was accompanied by her friend Miss Mona Clink. Mr. VanDoran and family motored down Sunday afternoon and took the ladies home.

We have reason to believe that J. P. Jenson has the champion pumpkin of the season. It weighs 76 1/4 pounds, is 19 inches long, and measures 63 inches in circumference around the ends and 51 inches around the sides. It is on exhibition in the window of the Conning grocery store.

Miss Cora King of Houghton lake has entered the Grayling schools arriving Monday.

There will be a business meeting of the Parent-Teacher Association at the school house Tuesday evening Oct. 11, at 7:30 sharp. This should be one of the most worth while organizations of the town. The vital connection between the home and school life of a child is so evident that it should interest every parent and teacher. Show your interest by being present with suggestions for the year's work.

Joe Churchill, chimney sweep of West Branch, who has visited Grayling every fall for years died at a hospital in Bay City, Saturday following a fatal accident that befell him Monday of last week. He was trimming trees and while attempting to cut a limb, the one on which he was sitting broke and he fell to the ground a distance of 35 feet. In falling he struck a projecting limb on the way down injuring his back.

The Grayling band played at the Tawas City agricultural fair last week Friday and Saturday. This is the first time our band has invaded the eastern part of the State and it was a genuine surprise to the people to know that Grayling had such a fine band. Their music won liberal applause and fine compliments everywhere. The fair management assured Manager Harry Simpson that they would want the Grayling band again next year. Our boys speak in the highest terms of their treatment at Tawas City, and also of the fair exhibit and attractions. The grounds were packed both days with people and the spirit of the crowds was fine, and everybody seemed to be having a most satisfactory time. Besides the agricultural and business exhibits there were some ball games, horse races and a Mid-Way where for a little money some good attraction and entertainments could be enjoyed.

Isaac Jendron was arrested Saturday night for being intoxicated and also for assault and battery against an officer. He was arraigned Monday afternoon and pleaded guilty to the charge of being drunk and was sentenced by Justice Fred Alexander to pay a fine and costs of prosecution, amounting to \$13.75, or go to jail 30 days. He paid his fine. A warrant charging him with assault and battery against Marshall M. Brenner also was served upon him. He waived examination and was bound over to circuit court for trial, and was released under \$500 bail. Jendron claims he purchased the liquor at the dance at Frederic. Marshall Brenner was assisted in making the arrest by Constable Alvin LaChappelle. Mike was pretty angry at being punched in the nose and these two officers swear that they are going right after the gang and intend to round up every drunk and bootlegger they can get their hands on.

Get rid of that nervous, fretful feeling. Brace up. Take Tanlac and you will look everybody in the face with a smile. Sold at Lewis' Drug Store.

Mr. Olaf Mickelson and Mrs. Carl Mickelson held the highest scores for "500".

QUALITY MERCHANDISE at LOW PRICES and GOOD SAVINGS

Grayling people are learning to their advantage that their dollars stretch further here; that dependable quality and low prices go hand in hand, and that we have neither sacrificed quality nor style to produce low price.

Typical values that prevail at this popular store:

MEN!!

The new fall Suits and O'Coats are in and at 30 to 40 per cent less than last fall's prices.

Boys' School Suits

All wool materials, lined throughout, some with 2 trousers. Great values.

\$8.00 to \$15.00

SWEATERS

for Boys
and Girls



\$2.50-\$6.00

A Wonderful Showing of Ladies' and Misses' New Coats

in the new cloths of Normandy, Ramona and Velours

\$15 TO \$65
with a special showing at

\$25 = \$30
and \$35

GIRLS'
SCHOOL
COATS

Wonder values at

\$6 to \$18



Specials in our Dry Goods Departm't.

36-inch heavy Outings, fancy and light colors, 20c.

36-inch Percale, light or dark, 75 pieces to select from, 20c.

32-inch Chambray, plain colors, 17c.

Stevens All Linen Crash Toweling at

19c, 25c, 26c and 30c.

Crash Toweling 12c.

Blankets \$2.50, \$3.00 and up.

Comfortables \$3.50 to \$6.50.

Underwear for winter for men, women and children. Two piece or union suits, fleeced or wool, at prices nearly 1/2 less than last year.

Mackinaws, Gowns, Heavy Wool Pants for men are in.

Beautiful New Blouses in Georgettes and Crepe de Chene, very specially priced at \$3.95, \$5.00 and up.

Grayling Mercantile Co.

Phone 1251

The Quality Store

Harrison Cameron is ill at his home.

Donald Reynolds is confined to his home with a siege of rheumatism.

Avie Jorgenson returned last Saturday from a several weeks tour thru the West, visiting Montana and other states.

The Ladies Home Missionary society will meet Wednesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Arthur Poole.

Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Hawthorne are in Bay City owing to the serious illness of Mr. Hawthorne's mother, who recently suffered a stroke of paralysis.

Agnes Havens who is attending a business college in Bay City spent the weekend visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. Will Havens and her grandparents Mr. and Mrs. Wright Havens of Washington who are visiting here.

Honoring Miss Frances Trudeau, a bride of this week Miss Pauline Fehr entertained sixteen young ladies Friday evening at a blue shower. To carry out the blue color effect which was most attractive, twigs of maple adorned the walls of the home throughout and numerous bluebirds rested on the boughs. Also the chandeliers had ribbons hanging from them at the ends of which were clusters of bluebirds. The table on which the delicious lunch was served was centered with cupid dolls in wedding dress. Many novel contests were enjoyed and the bride was showered with confetti. The gifts brought by the guests were of blue hue.

Tanlac, the remarkable remedy that everybody is talking about, is sold by A. M. Lewis, Druggist.

Mrs. H. A. Bauman and Miss Marthe Bauman are spending a number of weeks in Detroit.

W. F. Brink of Bay City is in the city looking after his interests here and calling on his many old friends.

No errors of opinion can work injustice or become dangerous so long as they are ventilated in the columns of the newspaper.

Mrs. Albert Kraus left Saturday to spend a few weeks at the home of her daughter Mrs. M. B. Weinberg of Saginaw. Mr. Weinberg expects to go to Cleveland while Mrs. Kraus is there, to consult an ear specialist.

Tanlac is a splendid tonic and system purifier, now selling at the rate of almost ten million bottles a year.

A. M. Lewis, Druggist.

A Good Physic.

When you want a physic that is mild and gentle in effect, easy to take and certain to act, take Chamberlain's Tablets. They are excellent.

3 Big Bargains

We are this week offering big values in new modern furniture. If you need a dresser be sure to take advantage of these prices:

Genuine Oak Dresser

Has large roomy drawers 22x26, beveled mirror. A rare value at

\$29.75

A Fine Little Dresser

Fitted with 14x20 beveled mirror, golden oak finish. A snap for some one

\$13.90

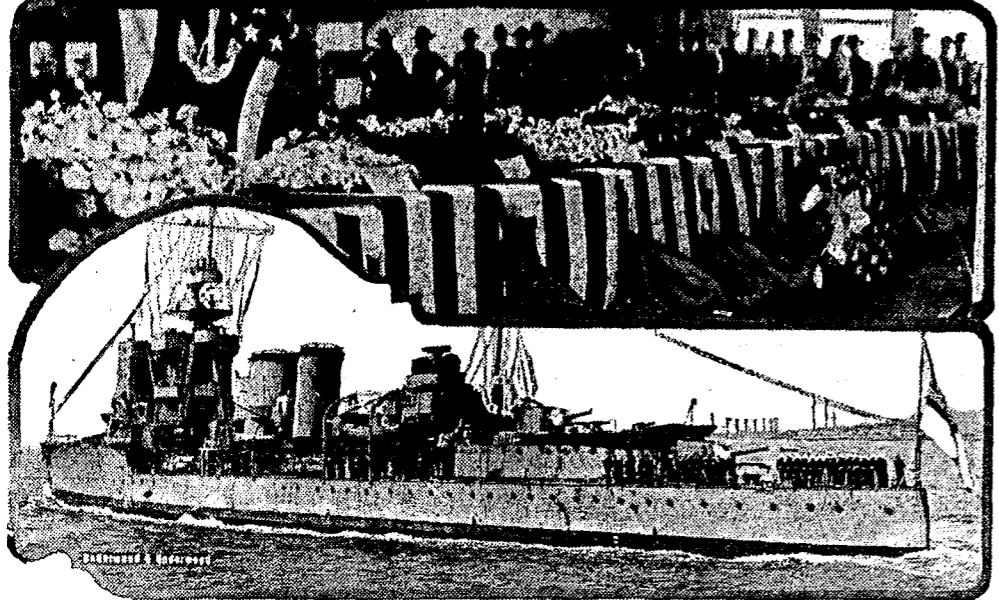
Golden Oak Princess Dresser

Fitted with a long, nice mirror. Is probably the biggest bargain of all

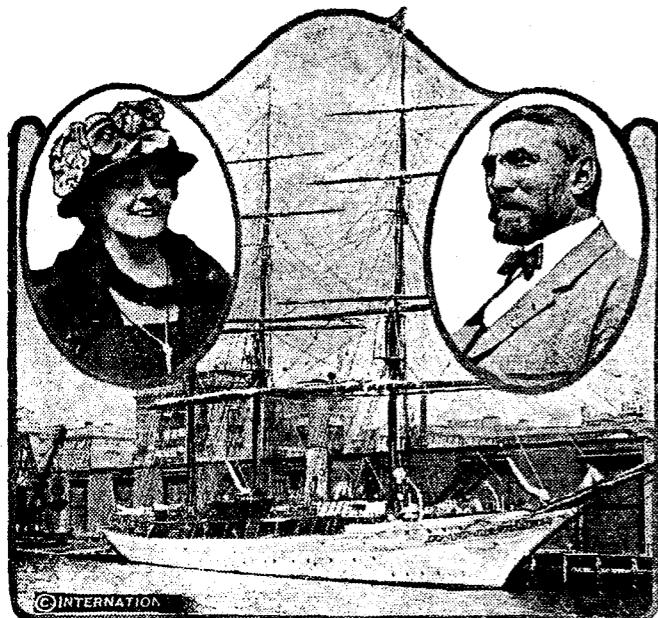
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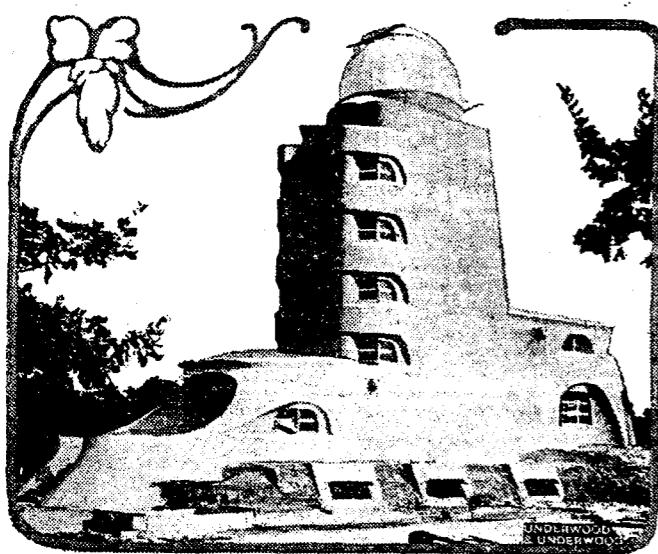
The Home of Dependable Furniture

American Victims of the ZR-2 Brought Home

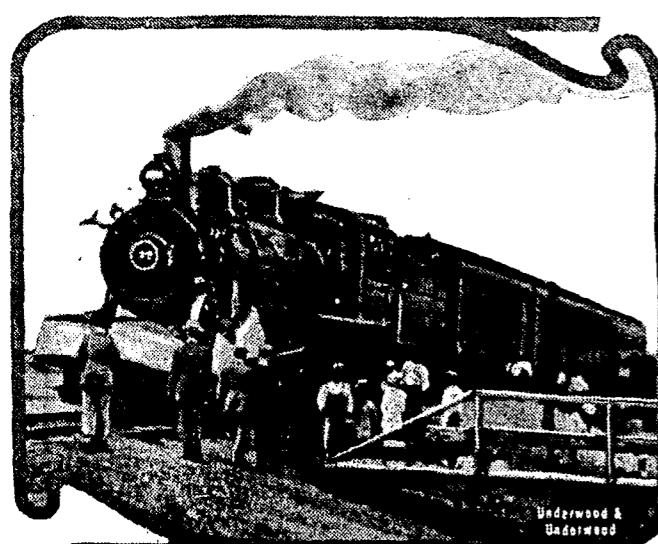
British cruiser Dauntless arriving at Brooklyn navy yard with the bodies of the 15 American victims of the ZR-2 disaster, and the flower-covered caskets in the specially constructed buildings where the funeral services were held.

Yacht Aloha Starts Around the World

The bark-rigged steam yacht Aloha, owned by Arthur Curtis James of New York, has just started on a trip around the world that will take nine months. Besides Mr. and Mrs. James, shown in inserts, there are on board four guests and a crew of forty-eight.

Relativity Tower at Potsdam

A view of the tower of Telegraph hill, Potsdam, Germany, which is to serve Prof. Albert Einstein as an observatory and laboratory for further experiments in the realm of relativity. Erich Mendelsohn is the designer of the unique structure, which also is to be used as an experimental station by the astro-physical institution of Potsdam.

"Peace" Train Comes From Mexico

Here is the first Mexican passenger train to cross the border at El Paso, Tex., since June 4, 1913. The engine was decorated with the Mexican and American flags.

ALL AROUND THE WORLD

The mouth of the River Nile is 155 miles wide between the extreme points on the Mediterranean coast.

The gems, ornaments and precious stones belonging to the shah of Persia are estimated to be worth about \$15,000,000.

In olden times it was popularly believed that the ruby was a very powerful amulet to ward off plagues and pestilences.

As chief clerk to the mayor of Boston, Miss Nora O'Callaghan receives a salary of \$2,700 a year.

In 1855 the American merchant marine had a gross tonnage of 6,150,867 tons, against 4,340,334 tons under the British flag.

No bird is more prolific than the prattle, the hen laying from fourteen to eighteen eggs and usually hatching them all.

Have Private Fish Ponds.

When the natives of Nauru, in the Pacific, go fishing, they bring the fish home alive and put them in irrigation or small lakes in the hills. Every village owns a lagoon and every villager owns a portion of the water, fenced off with palm leaves, where the household supply of fish is kept alive until needed for food.

Satisfied With Lot.

Of course, the goat has his weaknesses, but he never tries to pose as a gazelle.—Dallas News.

CONDENSED CLASSICS**HOMER'S ILIAD**

Condensation by Prof. William Fenwick Harris

It is the charm of the stories of the Iliad and the Odyssey that has allowed readers of all ages to find in the Iliad the first great romance of high adventure, of deeds of perfect chivalry and wild fighting, of brave men and noble women, so, the Odyssey is the first great novel of adventure in strange parts, of misadventures thwarted and brought to justice by heroes who in the end come to his own and rescues the true wife who bides at home and waits the triumphant return of him who shall free her from the trials that beset her.

The Greeks started the modern world of gods with Icarus they thought of the Olympians with Aeneas; men of wireless telegraphy in the message he sent leaping across the sea from Troy to Arkos in the flames upon the hill-tops, and with Odysseus of the motion-picture is the vision of all men and women who fitted before like eyes on the Trojan tower, so, too, they introduced us to practically every form of human expression. The prose-romance came late in their development. The novel and the short story as they knew them for centuries were embodied in the Iliad and Odyssey.

Whether one poet wrote the Iliad and the Odyssey has been a question that has puzzled many thousands of minds. The perfect form in which they have come down to us proves clearly that centuries contributed to the perfection of the literary forms in which they are written. The discussions over the "Homeric Problem" have laid the basis for literary and biblical criticism in modern scholarship.

THE elders of the Trojans from their seats upon the Scaean gate looked down upon the hosts of Greeks and Trojans marshaled in the plain. For nine long years the armies had contended. Why had Agamemnon brought the men of many cities to fight around the walls of Priam's Troy? What was it all about?

Homer sings of the wrath of Achilles, but the beginning of all the trouble goes back of that, to the tale of a princely shepherd on a night surprised as he watched his flock upon Mount Ida. The goddesses Hera, Athene and Aphrodite make him choose one of the world-old wishes: the judgment of Paris is for a fair face and love. To fulfill her promise Aphrodite leads him to King Menelaus' court in Sparta. Back to Troy Paris brings Queen Helen and great treasure. A hue and cry follow throughout Greece; Menelaus calls to help the great overlord, his brother Agamemnon, Achilles the sacker of cities, wily Odysseus, venerable and genial Nestor, and all the chivalry of the land with men and ships to make war on Troy.

Others must pay for the wrongs of Paris—old King Priam of the Ashen Spear, his venerable queen, Hecuba, Hector and his noble wife Andromache, his little son Astyanax, Cassandra and all the rest whom the toll of war involves. Other stories of the many Greek epics now lost bring the tale of warring years up to the tenth, where the Iliad begins. Hector is the leader of the Trojans; Achilles is the great fighting force of the Greeks, though now he has withdrawn to his tent because of a slight put upon his honor by King Agamemnon.

The hostile forces are advancing to the battle; a dramatic moment brings Menelaus and Paris in sight of one another. The wrath of Hector blazes out against Paris for all the evil and shame his theft of women and wealth have brought. The gay and debonair Paris, however, can show splendid moments. "Hector, thy taunt is just. But throw not at me the lovely gifts of golden Aphrodite. The glorious gifts that the gods give are not to be flung away; no man could take them by mere willingness. But if thou dost wish me to battle and fight, make all the rest of the Trojans and Achalians sit down, and put me in the midst with warlike Menelaus to fight for Helen and all her goods, to see who shall conquer and prove the better man; let the rest conclude a friendship of trusty oaths; may ye dwell in fertile Troyland, and the others go back to Argos, nurse of steeds, and Achaea of fair women."

So it was that the hosts sat in high expectation in the plain, and Priam and the Trojan elders were gathered on the Scaean gate. And Priam, who bore no grudge against Helen for all the misery her fair face had brought to him and Troy—for he saw the hands of the gods in it all—called her to his side to tell him of the chiefs among whom she had once lived. Then those elders, who had long since seen their fighting days paid the finest compliment a woman's beauty has ever received—how many thousand years ago?—as they saw Helen advancing. "No cause for anger that Trojans and well-greaved Achalians for such a woman long time should suffer sorrow." Not another word! But those old men upon the wall have drawn for you and me a picture of The World's Desire. "But even so," they continued, "let her go home upon the ship and stay not as a source of sorrow to us and to our children after her."

The high hopes of settling all the

troubles by the duel of the champions were in vain. The contest was inconclusive and the truce was broken.

The scene changes to Troy itself. In an interval of the battle great Hector of the Glancing Helm had gone to the citadel. And there he said farewell to Andromache, his wife, and to his little boy, a picture that has never been surpassed for true tenderness—although it was so many hundred years ago. He smiled and looked upon the little boy in silence. "Ah, Hector," she cried, "stay here upon the wall! Thou art to me father and mother and brother, too, as well as lord. The foe will attack thee alone!" "I know the day shall come," he answered, "when holy Illos shall perish, and Priam and the folk of Priam of the goodly Ashen Spear. But thought of him, of my mother, of my brothers, does not trouble me so much as that some warrior of the Achalians shall rob thee of the day of freedom." He stretched out his hand to the little boy, who shrank back to his nurse's breast in fear of the bronze and the horse-hair crest that nodded dreadfully from the top of the helmet. Straightway Hector took off the helmet and placed it on the ground. And when he had kissed his son and tossed him in his arms, he spoke in prayer to Zeus and the rest of the gods: "Grant, ye gods, that this son of mine prove foremost among the Trojans, a good and mighty king. And as he comes back from battle may many a man say of him, 'A far better man than his father,' and may his mother rejoice in heart." And then he handed him back to his mother, who received him smiling through her tears, and so departed to the battle with words of high cheer.

There follow many scenes of varied action—the Iliad is one of the great collections of short stories in the world's literature, in which is given a perfect picture of the life of that lordly society of so long ago. The plain people play little part, although their champion, Thersites, is the first democrat mentioned in literature. Mighty deeds of derring-do, high adventure, love of lords and ladies, the pranks of merry children—all are preserved, as it were, in amber, and the sentiment for the most part is so modern that it is almost impossible to believe that we are reading of people who lived many hundreds of years before Christ was born.

But over all impends one dreadful fate. It is a Greek tale—yet Hector, prince and leader of the foe, is the hero of the story. Of course he is not quite so strong, not quite so great a fighter as Achilles, the Greek champion, and all know that in the end Achilles will win. The great scenes are worked up to consummate artistry. Achilles is still sulking in his tent; Hector is pressing the Greeks hard; Patroclus, Achilles' dearest friend, begs his chief to let him don his lord's armor and save his people; he has his way and Hector slays him. Achilles' anger blazes forth in all its passion. What now a petty slight? The great scene of the battle between the two inspires the poet to all his nobles' power. 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HOW TO KEEP UP NEW GRAVEL HIGHWAYS

Good Advice From State Highway Department.

Lansing, Michigan, September 26, 1921.

To Township Highway Comm'r:

Even though the state is spending vast sums of bond money in road construction, it is still true that the greatest road tax in Michigan is the tax which the people in the rural sections vote upon themselves at the annual town meetings. Last year this tax amounted to \$18,495,380.04.

As much of this money is expended in hauling gravel to roads, a word or two as to the application of gravel and the maintenance of gravel roads afterwards, may not be amiss.

Too commonly a first class job is spoiled by neglecting the gravel after it is dumped, (too often not spread) upon the road. In fact it is left to pack itself and immediately becomes full of bumps and hollows which become so hard that they can hardly be smoothed except by using a scarifier.

This could easily and cheaply be prevented by spreading the gravel with the use of the four-wheeled grader followed by a spike tooth harrow and the road drag. In fact the gravel which is placed on each day should be spread in this way and made as smooth as possible before quitting work at night.

Later the constant use of the road drag would make many of those township gravel roads which have been cheaply built, as pleasant to drive over as many of the more costly state highways.

Probably no implements used in road building or maintenance has done so much to keep the roads constantly smooth as the patrol road drag and grader.

When To Drag. As soon as the frost begins to come out of the ground in the spring use the road drag. Use it frequently especially after rains until the ground freezes in the Fall. When the road softens during the winter months smooth it up with the road drag so the surface will freeze smooth.

How To Drag. Hitch to the drag in such a way that it will be drawn at an angle, forcing some gravel towards the center of the road. If the drag cuts too deep, shorten the hitch; if too little, lengthen it. Drag one side of the road, then the other, lastly making a trip down the center. If the road is not smooth, ride the drag, stepping around on it sufficiently to vary the cutting depth to work out high places in the gravel and fill low ones.

Drive toward a uniform crown in all gravel roads. When you drive over the road you will readily detect if it is too crowning. If too flat it will hold water.

Large stones embedded in the surface should be taken out as it is impossible to handle a road drag properly when it is bobbing over stones.

One year's faithful use of the road drag will convince the tax payers of any township that the money had been well expended. Won't You Try It?

Very truly yours,
Frank F. Rogers,
State Highway Commissioner.

Statement of the Ownership, Management, Etc., Required by the Act of August 24, 1912, of The Crawford Avalanche, published weekly at Grayling, Mich., for October, 1921.

Editor, Managing Editor, Business Manager, Publisher, Owners: O. P. Schumann, Grayling, Michigan. Known bondholders, mortgages, and other security holders, holding 1 per cent or more of total amount of bonds, mortgages, or other securities: O. Palmer, Grayling, Michigan. O. P. Schumann.

Swear to and subscribed before me this 1st day of October, 1921.
(Seal) O. Palmer, Notary Public.
My commission expires Mar. 5, 1923.

Guy E. Smith, Circuit Judge.

Harris & Chapin, Attorneys for Plaintiff.
Business address: West Branch, Michigan. 9-29-7.

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Explicit Directions.

AUCTION SALE

Having sold my farm located on the stone road 5 miles east of Frederic, I will sell the following on

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 12, 1921

Commencing at 1 o'clock

1 Cow 10 years old.	1 Saddle.
1 Cow 6 years old.	1 Refrigerator.
1 Cow 5 years old.	2 Double Harness. 1 Buggy.
1 Horse 4 years old.	1 Double Wagon.
1 Saddle Horse 11 years old.	1 Corn Sheller.
1 Heifer 30 months old.	1 Spike Tooth Drag.
1 Heifer 18 months old.	1 Spike Tooth Cultivator.
1 Steer 22 months old.	1 Parker Plow.
2 Calves.	1 McCormick Binder.
1 pair Sleighs.	Milk Bottles, Cream Cans and other articles.
1 pair Light Sleighs.	

TERMS OF SALE: Sums of \$5.00 and under, cash; sums over \$5.00, six months time on bankable note bearing 7 per cent interest; 5 per cent discount for cash on sums over \$5.00 if paid on day of sale.

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NOTICE.

State of Michigan,
The Circuit Court for the County of Crawford. In Chancery.

Minnie Martin, Plaintiff.

Charles E. Martin, Defendant.

In this cause, it appearing by affidavit in each week, for six successively of plaintiff that defendant does not reside in this state, but that he is a resident of the state of Indiana, therefore on motion of Harris & Chapin, attorneys for plaintiff, it is ordered that said defendant enter his appearance in said cause within three months from the date of this order, and that within twenty days the plaintiff cause this order to be published in the Crawford Avalanche, a newspaper published in said county, said publication to be continued three weeks, or that said plaintiff cause a copy of this order to be personally served on said defendant at least twenty days before the time above prescribed for his appearance.

Dated, September 20th, 1921.

Guy E. Smith, Circuit Judge.

O. P. Schumann.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 1st day of October, 1921.

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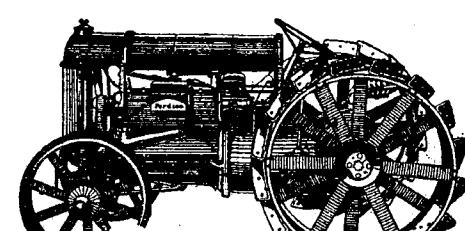
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Following is a copy of a letter received from a Fordson owner who purchased a tractor at Scottville, Michigan:

KOBE & SMITH,

Dear Sirs:—I am mailing you cost figures for operating the Fordson tractor, plowing 80 acres for the year 1920; also showing the difference plowing 50 acres with horses for the year 1919.

Tractor work 80 acres: 15 days, 9 hrs.

Cost of fuel: 190 gal. kerosene at 20 5/10.....\$40.40

60 gal. kerosene at 21 4/10.....12.88

Drained oil twice: 8 gal. motor oil at 1:00.....8.00

10 gal. motor oil at .68.....6.82

For starting: 4 gal. gasoline at 28 8/10.....1.15

Cup grease.....25

Total.....\$69.50

A fourteen year old boy ran the tractor.

Working with horses for year 1919

50 acres, 15 days, 5 horses, 2 men.

Five horses and two men at \$13.00 per day...\$195.00

Yours truly,

A. J. SASS,

Scottville, Mich., R. D. No. 3.

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